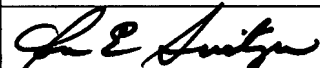
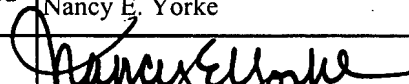
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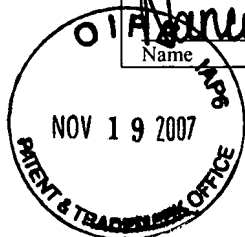
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the outstanding Office Action dated October 17, 2007, in the above-identified application, having a ONE (1) month period for response which expires November 17, 2007. In that this response is timely filed, no further extension of time is needed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the following provisional election.